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GREAT SPELLBINDING ISSUE

A LETTER FROM SHE-RA

GREETINGS FROM ETHERIA!

I hope you enjoy reading all about my latest adventures on Etheria in this action-packed issue of She-Ra. When Hordak built the terrible Pathfinder weapon it looked like he had found a way to defeat the Great Rebellion.

I would like you to write to me and let me know which of Hordak's Evil Horde you like to read about the most. I would also like to know what kind of stories you like.

I must go now. I can hear a nasty Horde Trooper marching this way and I don't want him to see me writing to you.

Send all letters to: **SHE-MAIL**, PO Box 111, Egmont House, Great Duke Street, Manchester M60 3BL.



ETHERIAN PUZZLES

MYSTERY MESSAGE

While out for a stroll in the Whispering Wood, She-Ra received a hasty message from a wielder of great magic. She could make out from it that two of her friends, two members of the Horde and a friend of Catra's had all been trapped in a nearby cave. However, the identities of the unfortunate five, and the sender of the message, were not very clear as their names had all been garbled into six sets of words:

LIFE AT TURN BULKEE APE LOOK DUM
HE GOT PHIL ROZZ GIRL WE CANDLE

Naturally, She-Ra quickly worked out who was who and rescued them all. If you've also determined their true identities, try fitting them into the grid in the correct order, and you should find the name of the culprit responsible for trapping them, reading downwards!



ANSWERS:



PATH FINDER PART I

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CONCERNED BY THE UNEXPECTED DROUGHT THAT HAS BESET ETHERIA FOR MANY DAYS, SHE-RA AND BOW HAVE TRAVELLED TO A PEACEFUL VILLAGE NEAR TO THE FRIGHT ZONE, IN SEARCH OF AN EXPLANATION.

ARE YOU SURE THAT MADAME RAZZ WAS RIGHT WHEN SHE SAID THAT THIS DROUGHT WAS NOT CAUSED BY NATURAL FORCES?

SHE MAY NOT ALWAYS GET THINGS RIGHT BUT SHE SOUNDED VERY CERTAIN. SHE CLAIMED THAT THE ANSWER LAY NEAR TO THIS VILLAGE...



GREETINGS! WE ARE INTERESTED IN LEARNING ABOUT ANY STRANGE EVENTS THAT MAY HAVE HAPPENED IN THIS VILLAGE OVER THE LAST FEW DAYS. HAVE YOU NOTICED ANYTHING?

KEEP AWAY! I KNOW NOTHING! LEAVE ME ALONE!

BUT, I...



IT'S THE SAME STORY EVERYTIME I ASK FOR HELP. THEY SEEM TERRIFIED.

YES, THE PEOPLE WE QUESTIONED ON THE OUTSKIRTS OF THE VILLAGE SEEMED TO BE JUST AS SCARED, BUT WHAT OF?



THEN...

I THINK HE MAY HAVE SOMETHING TO DO WITH IT...

A HORDE TROOPER!



DON'T WORRY ABOUT ME, SWORD TO SHIELD.

HOW TO DO SOMETHING ABOUT THIS METAL MENACE...





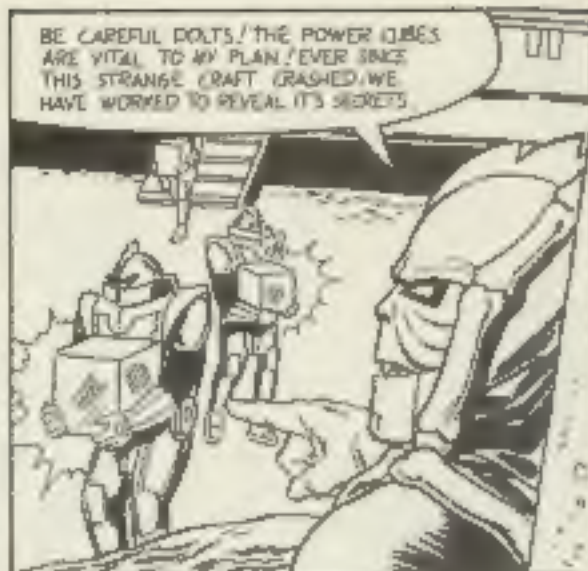


THEN...

HORDAK!

THIS MUST BE IMPORTANT FOR HIM TO LEAVE THE FRIGHT ZONE TO SUPERVISE THE OPERATION HIMSELF!

WE NEED TO GO DOWN THERE GET A CLOSER LOOK...



BE CAREFUL DOLTS! THE POWER CUBES ARE VITAL TO MY PLAN! EVER SINCE THIS STRANGE CRAFT CRASHED, WE HAVE WORKED TO REVEAL ITS SECRETS

JUST THEN GRIZZLOR APPROACHED HORDAK WITH A QUESTION...

TELL ME THE PLAN AGAIN, MASTER! I ALWAYS FORGET...

LISTEN CAREFULLY, FOOL! THESE POWER CUBES ARE THE FUEL THAT POWERED THIS SPACESHIP. BY USING THE MOISTURE IN THE AIR, I CAN TRANSFORM THEIR SHAPE INTO ANYTHING I DESIRE...

UNFORTUNATELY THE PROCESS CREATES A GREAT DEAL OF HEAT. THIS HAPPENS BECAUSE... BAH! WHY AM I EXPLAINING ALL THIS TO YOU? YOU WOULD NEVER UNDERSTAND MY BRILLIANT SCHEME.



I'LL USE THE CUBES TO CREATE INDESTRUCTIBLE WEAPONS TO DESTROY THE REBELLION ONCE AND FOR ALL. HORDAK WILL BE THE SUPREME RULER OF THIS PUNY PLANET!



SO, WE WERE RIGHT! HORDAK HAS CREATED THIS DROUGHT THROUGH HIS EXPERIMENTS WITH THOSE STRANGE CUBES...

AND IF WHAT HE SAYS IS TRUE THE WEAPONS HE COULD CREATE WOULD CRUSH US LIKE INSECTS. WE HAVE TO STOP HIM, NOW!



JUST THEN...

INTRUDERS! DON'T MOVE OR I WILL DESTROY YOU!

A HORDE TROOPER! WE WERE SO INTERESTED IN WHAT HORDAK WAS SAYING THAT WE DIDN'T HEAR HIM SNEAKING UP ON US...



I'LL KEEP THIS ONE RUNY,
WHILE YOU GET DOWN TO
THE BEACH...

WELL
DONE, BOW!



BUT AS SHE RA
APPROVES ON THE BEACH!

LIGHT IT DOWN
ME BY SURPRISE!

I HAVE
CAPTURED
SHE RA! NOW
I WILL DESTROY
HER...



WAIT! DO NOT HARM THEM!
BRING THEM TO ME!

I WOULD USE MY STRENGTH
AND ESCAPE WITH EASE,
BUT I CAN'T BE SURE
THAT BOW WON'T GET
HURT BY THAT
TROOPER!



DO YOU DARE TO
TRY ON HORDAK? I
WILL TAKE GREAT PLEASURE
IN DESTROYING YOU AFTER WE
HAVE FINISHED MOVING THE POWER
BLOCKS FOR THE ALIEN CRAFT.

HE'S CRAZED WITH POWER.
I HAVE TO DO SOMETHING,
AND QUICKLY!



MASTER, WE MUST MOVE
THE BLOCKS QUICKLY. THEY
ARE MADE UP OF A VERY
UNSTABLE MATERIAL AND ARE
LIKELY TO EXPLODE IN THIS
HEAT.

THAT'S JUST
WHAT I
NEEDED TO
KNOW...



QUICKLY, BOW! USE A
BLAST-ARROW! FIRE
INTO THAT
SHIP!

POW!

SOUNDS
GOOD TO ME!



GOT TO
AIM
CAREFULLY
AND...



SHE-MAIL

Dear She-Ra,
I would like to know if you feel brave when you are fighting Hordak's evil people? Also, it would make me very happy if Glimmer would write a letter to me.

**Teresa Louise Aspinall,
MANCHESTER**

Thank you for writing to me, Teresa. Naturally I feel a bit afraid when I have to fight Hordak's evil people. It upsets me that we have to settle our argument with weapons instead of talking. If Glimmer, or any of my friends, stopped fighting against the Horde to find the time to write to people on earth Hordak might take that opportunity to win the war!

Dear She-Ra,
I have three questions I would like you to answer: Why are you called She-Ra? Why do you have a sword and why do you have an enemy? Please answer these questions.

Mark Secnar, LONDON.

Thank you for your questions, Mark. My name was given to me by Light Hope to keep my real name of Adora a secret. My sword is one of the most modern weapons on Etheria and is vital in my battle against Hordak. Lastly, I have an enemy not because I want one but because Hordak wants to rule my planet. Light Hope gave me the job of protecting Etheria...and that means I must fight against the evil of Hordak.

Dear She-Ra,
Why is Hordak so bad? I would also like to know why he is always fighting with you and do you always win?

Jillian Loughran, LURGAN.

Hordak is evil because he is mean and always wants his own way. He doesn't care about other people's feelings and is very greedy. Because of this he was used by Horde Prime as part of the Evil Horde. Hordak doesn't always win his fights and you will see a few stories in future issues in which I lose.

Dear She-Ra,
What would happen if your sword did not work and Swift Wind ran away?

**Elizabeth Ainsworth,
NOTTINGHAM.**

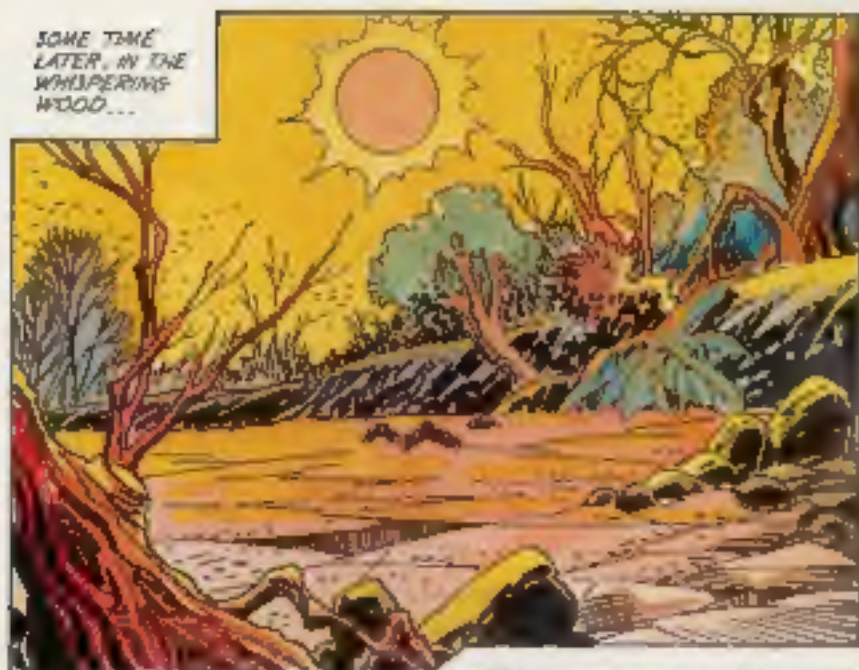
If both of those terrible things happened to me I would be in a lot of trouble! My sword and Swift Wind are a great help to the Rebellion but even without these I think we would just about beat Hordak. With the Sword of Protection and Swift Wind to help I think we'll beat Hordak a lot sooner!



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PATH FINDER PART II

SOME TIME
LATER, IN THE
WHISPERING
WOOD...



SHE-RA IS BUSY
EXPLAINING THE
DILEMMA TO HER
FRIENDS...

I DON'T UNDERSTAND
IT. WE HALTED
HORDAK'S PRODUCTION
PLAN. RAIN SHOULD
HAVE RETURNED
TO ETHERIA!

THAT'S WHY I
HAVE ASKED YOU ALL
TO COME HERE. WE
MUST LOOK FOR
ANOTHER WAY TO END
THIS DROUGHT...



EVEN PERDUMA'S POWERS
OVER PLANTS CAN'T HELP
ANYTHING TO GROW!

AND WITHOUT
FOOD, THE
REBELLION WILL
BE DEFEATED
AND HORDAK
VICTORIOUS!



I CAN USE MY POWERS TO INCREASE
THE WATER VAPOUR IN THE AIR...

AND I CAN
FREEZE THE VAPOUR
TO CAUSE A
DOWNPOUR. IT WILL
BE A LENGTHY
PROCESS, THOUGH.

FOR MY
POWERS TO
WORK, THERE
MUST BE SOME
AMOUNT OF
VAPOUR TO
START WITH.
UNFORTUNATELY
THERE IS NOT
ENOUGH AT
THE MOMENT...



HMM! TO INCREASE
THE VAPOUR WE NEED
MORE CLOUDS. IN THIS
GREAT HEAT THERE WOULD
BE CLOUDS OVER THE
GREAT LAKES. IF WE
COULD FORCE THOSE
CLOUDS HERE, THEN
YOU COULD MAKE
THE RAIN FALL...

YES, BUT I
DON'T HAVE
THE ABILITY
TO MAKE
CLOUDS
MOVE...

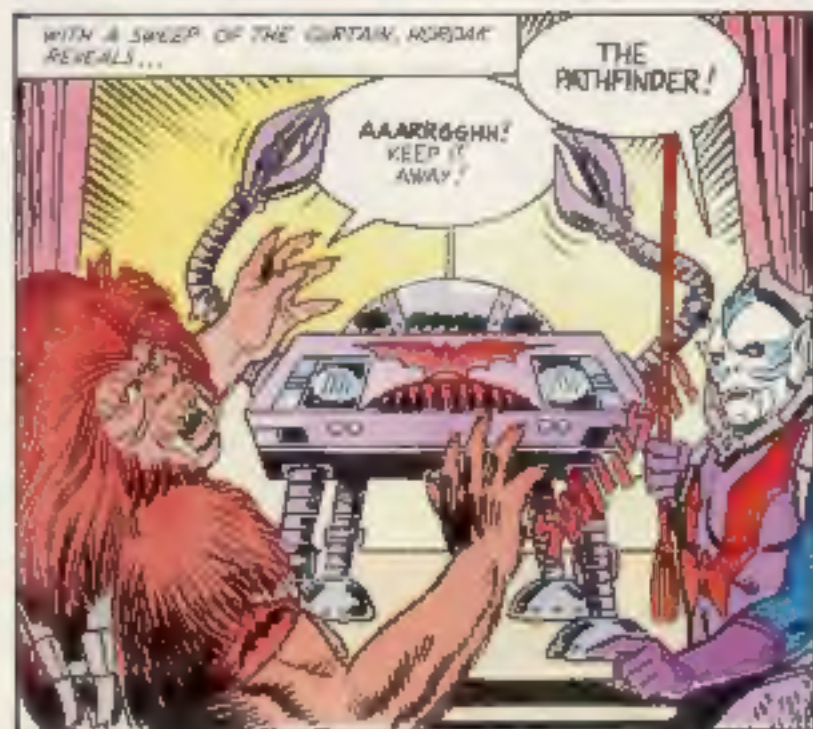
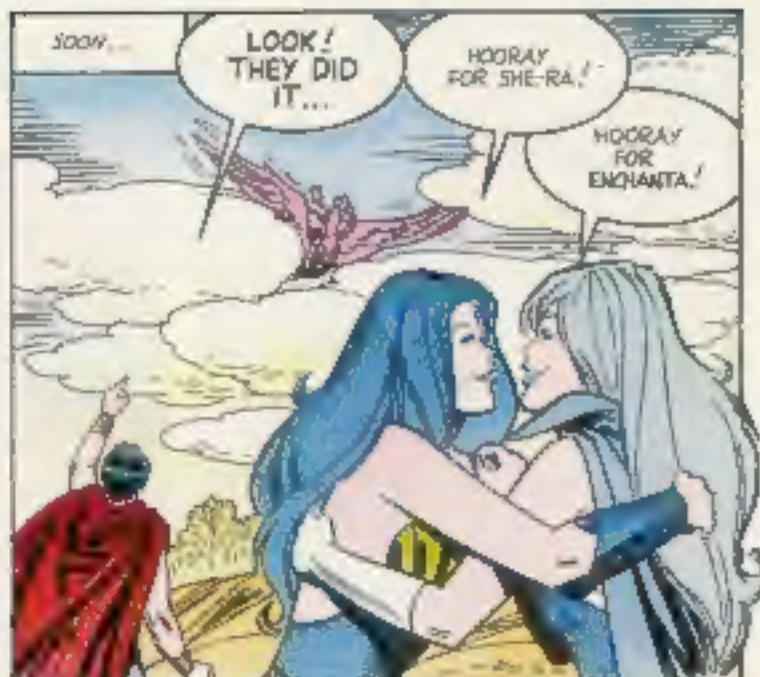
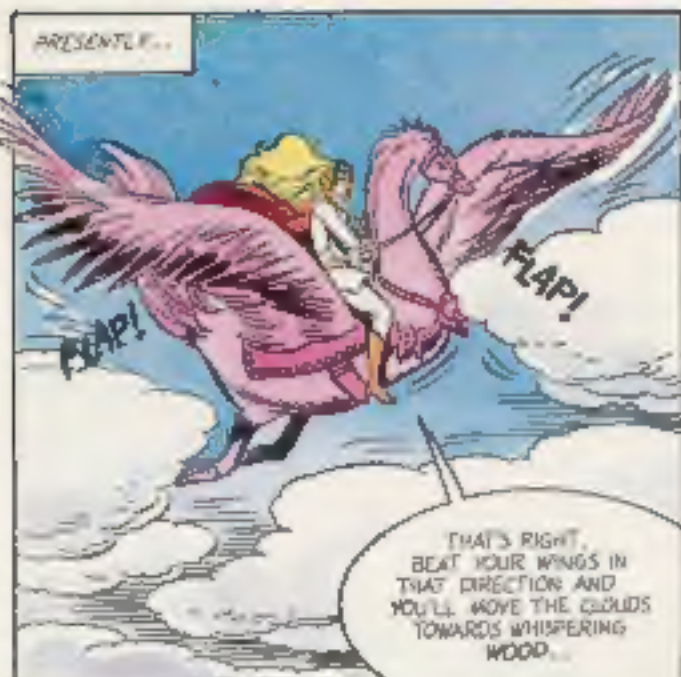
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I THINK I KNOW
WHO HAS...

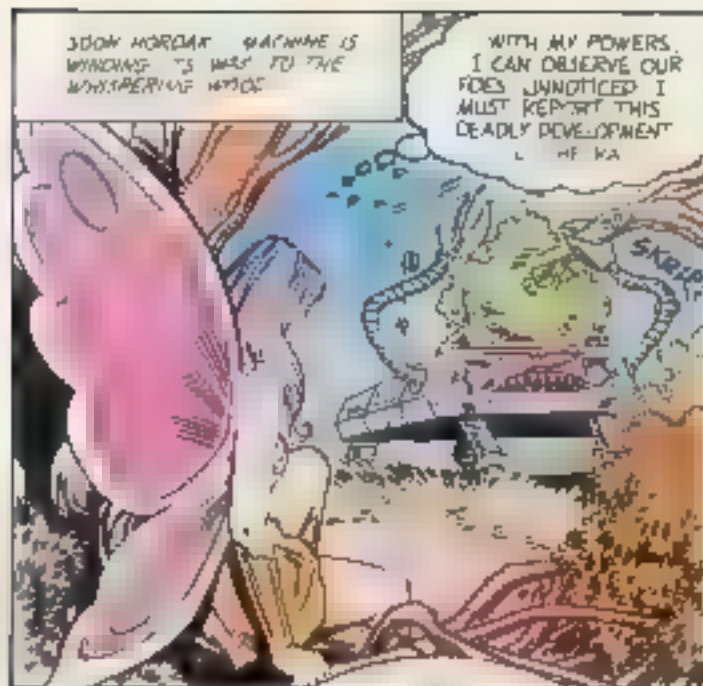


WITHIN A FEW
MOMENTS...

FLY ON,
ENCHANTA. ON
TO THE GREAT
LAKES...

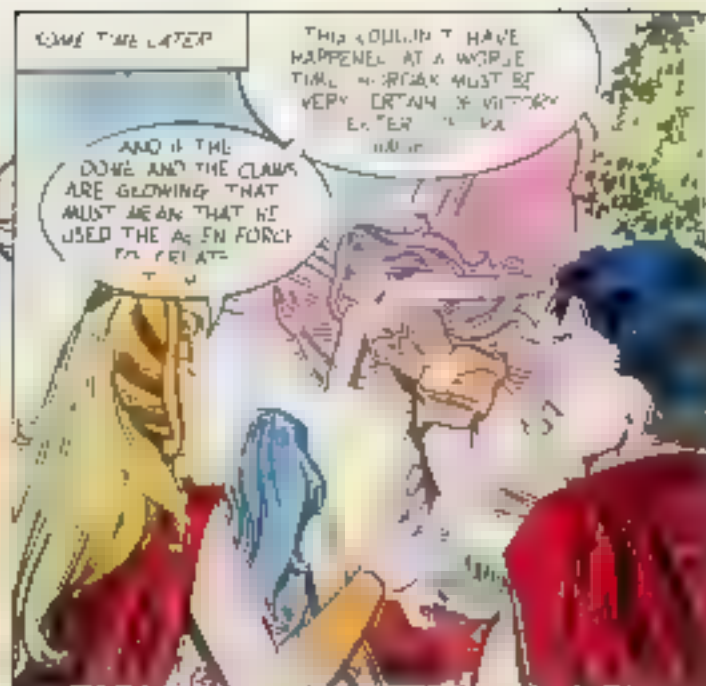






SOON MORDAK MACHINE IS
WINNING ITS WAY TO THE
WHISPERING WOOD

WITH MY POWERS
I CAN OBSERVE OUR
FOES UNNOTICED I
MUST REPORT THIS
DEADLY DEVELOPMENT
L H F KA



SOME TIME LATER

THIS COULDN'T HAVE
HAPPENED AT A WORSE
TIME MORDAK MUST BE
VERY CERTAIN OF VICTORY
ENTER THE KA
MORDAK

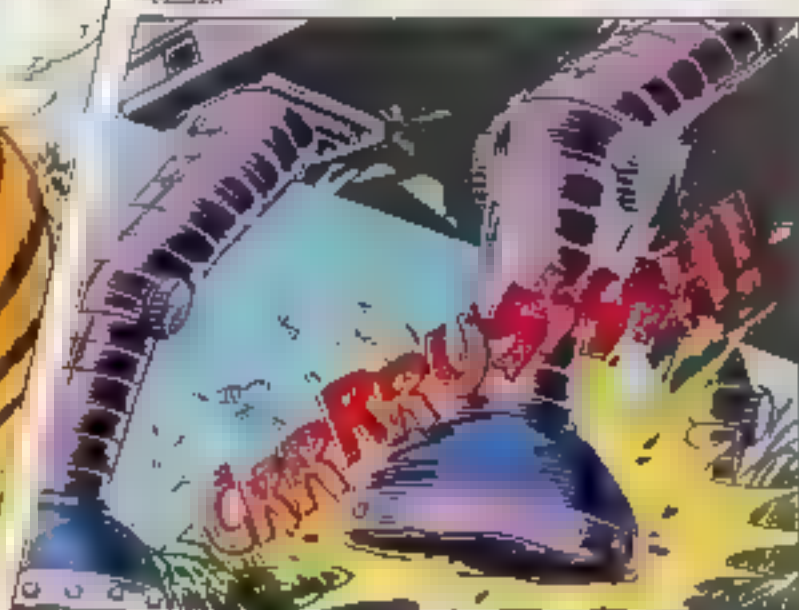
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DOME AND THE CLAWS
ARE GLOWING THAT
MUST MEAN THAT HE
USED THE AG EN FORCE
TO RELATE
T M



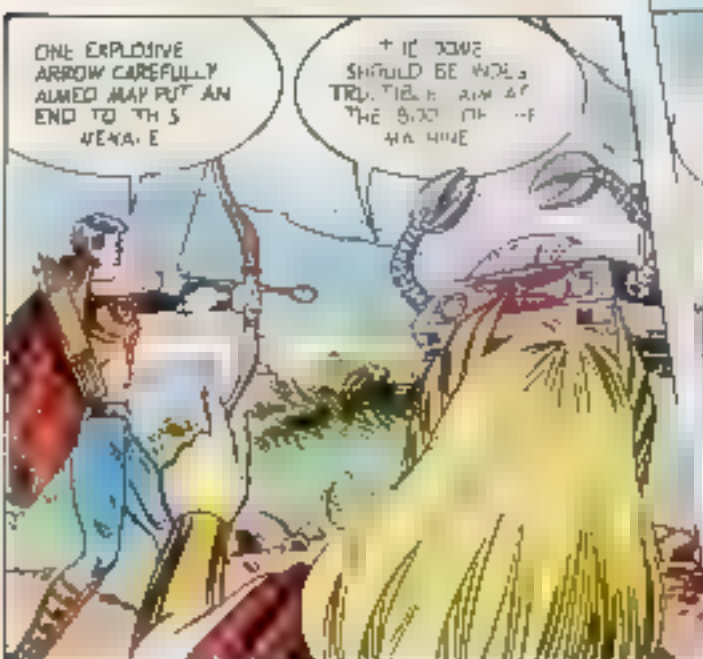
WELL I'LL USE
MY EXPLOSIVE ARROWS
AGAIN THEY WORKED
LAST TIME

THAT WAS WHEN THE
MATERIAL WENT IN THE F
MORDAK HAS NOW POSSESSED
THEM SO THAT NOTHING CAN
DESTROY THEM NOT EVEN
MY MIGHTY STRENGTH

EVEN A SHREKA SPEAKS THE PATH-MAKER MOVES EVER
CLOSER



SOON, HOWEVER THE KA AND HER COMPANIES APPROACH
THE MACHINE TO TRY AND STOP ITS PROGRESS



ONE EXPLOSIVE
ARROW CAREFULLY
AIMED MAY PUT AN
END TO THIS
MACHINE

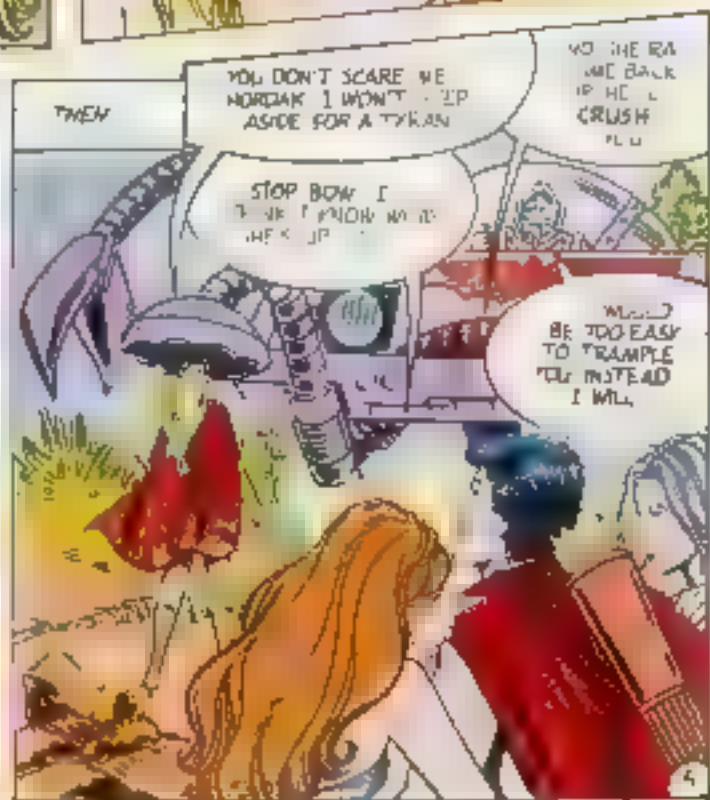
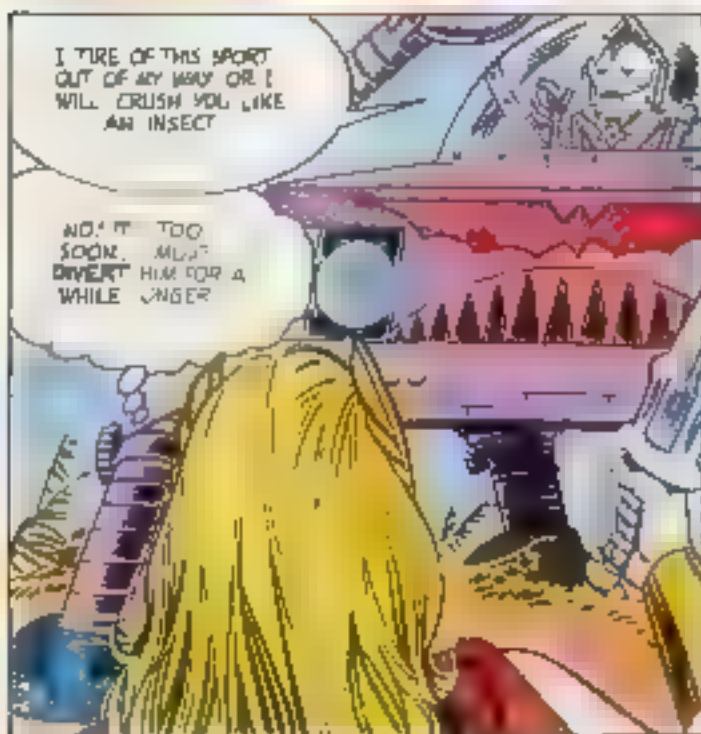
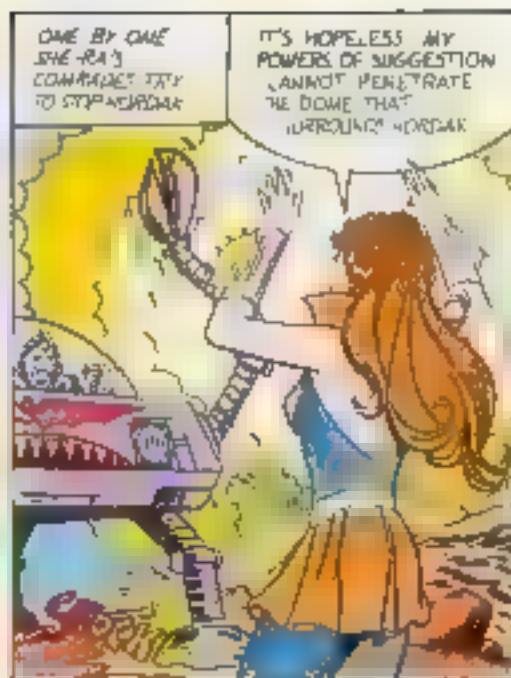
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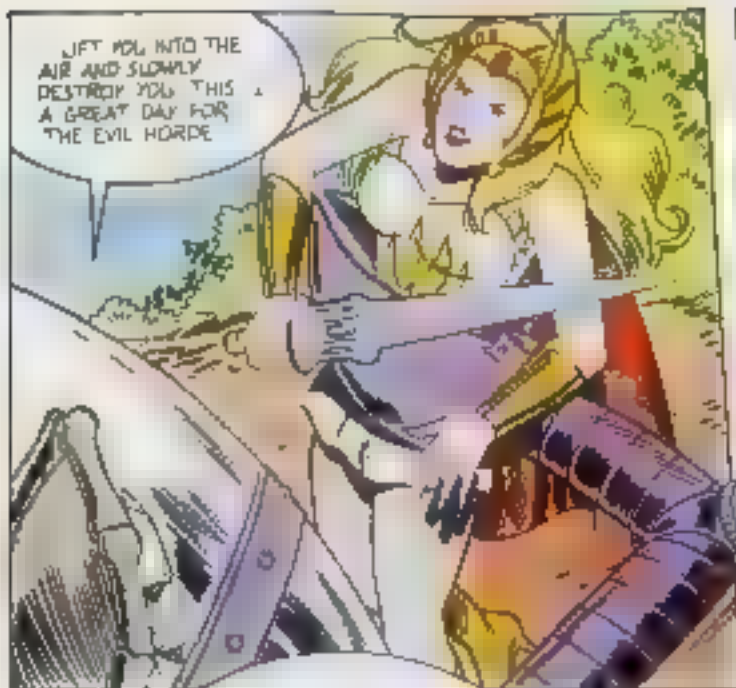


THE LIP OF THE
DOME LIT UP
THE ARROW

WHEN THE ARROW
WAS FIRED IT
FAILED

SHREKA

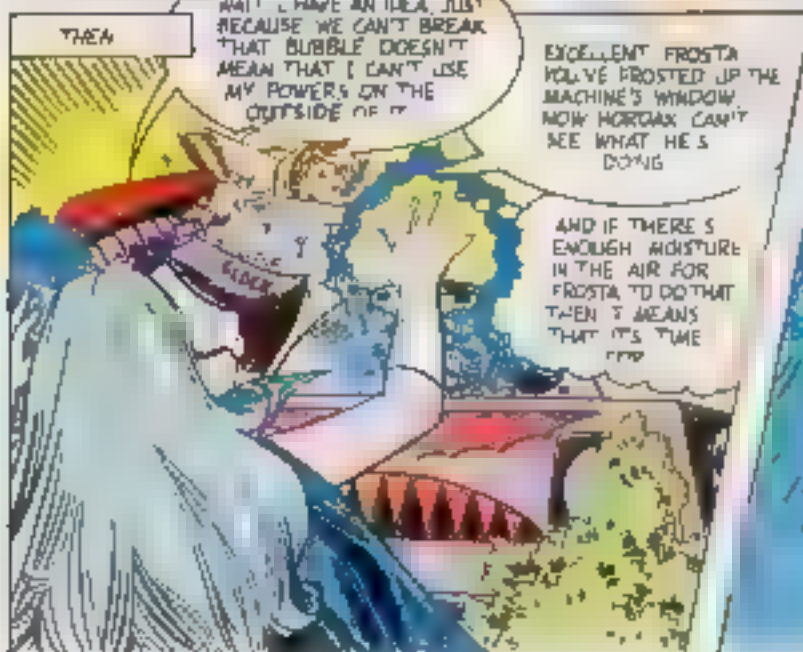




LIFT YOU INTO THE AIR AND SLOWLY DESTROY YOU. THIS A GREAT DAY FOR THE EVIL HORDE.



IT'S AS I LEARNED MY STRENGTH SUCCEDES AGAINST THIS ALIEN MATERIAL IF I COULD ONLY GET CLOSE ENOUGH TO STRIKE AT THE BODY OF THE MACHINE.

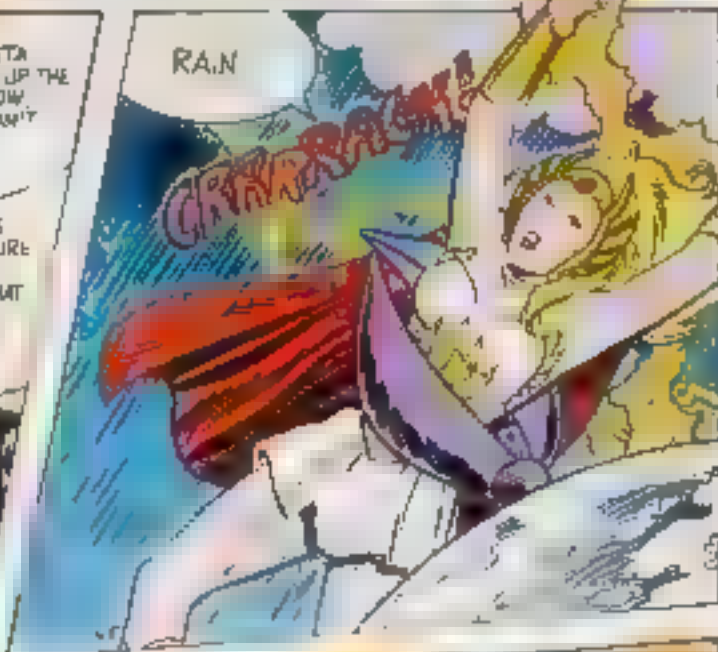


THEN

WAIT. I HAVE AN IDEA. JUST BECAUSE WE CAN'T BREAK THAT BUBBLE DOESN'T MEAN THAT I CAN'T USE MY POWERS ON THE OUTSIDE OF IT.

EXCELLENT. FROSTA YOU'VE FROSTED UP THE MACHINE'S WINDOW. NOW HORDAK CAN'T SEE WHAT HE'S DOING.

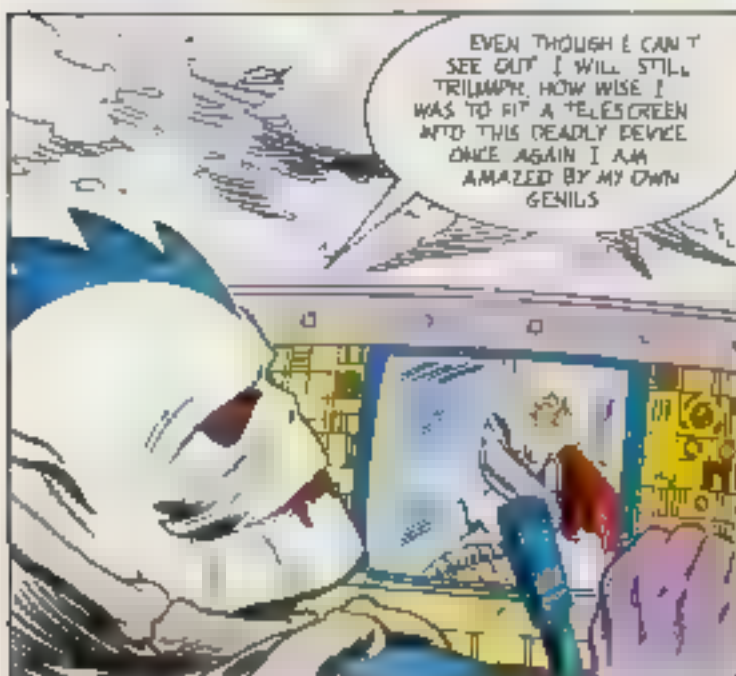
AND IF THERE'S ENOUGH MOISTURE IN THE AIR FOR FROSTA TO DO THAT THEN IT MEANS THAT IT'S TIME FOR



RAIN

CRASH CRASH CRASH

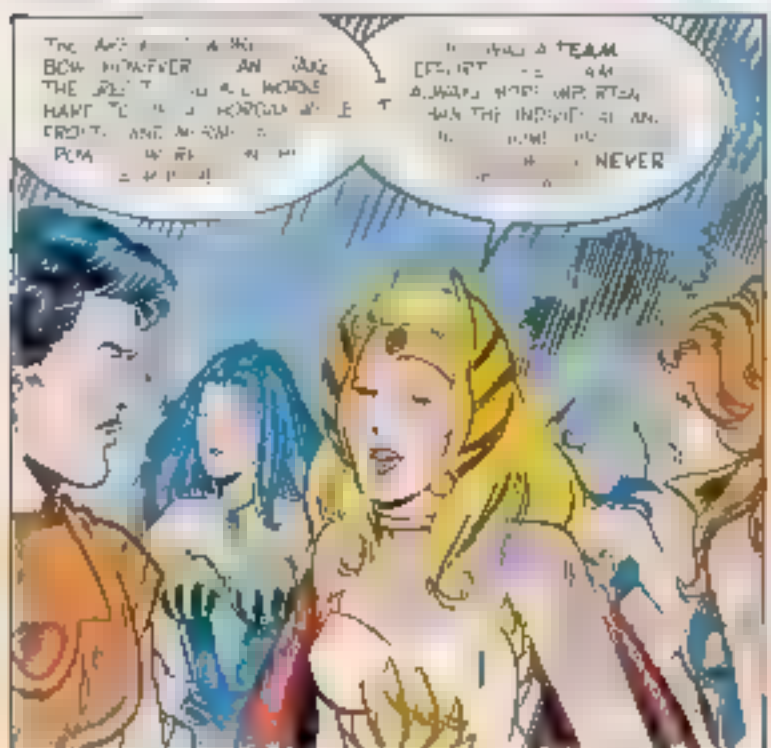
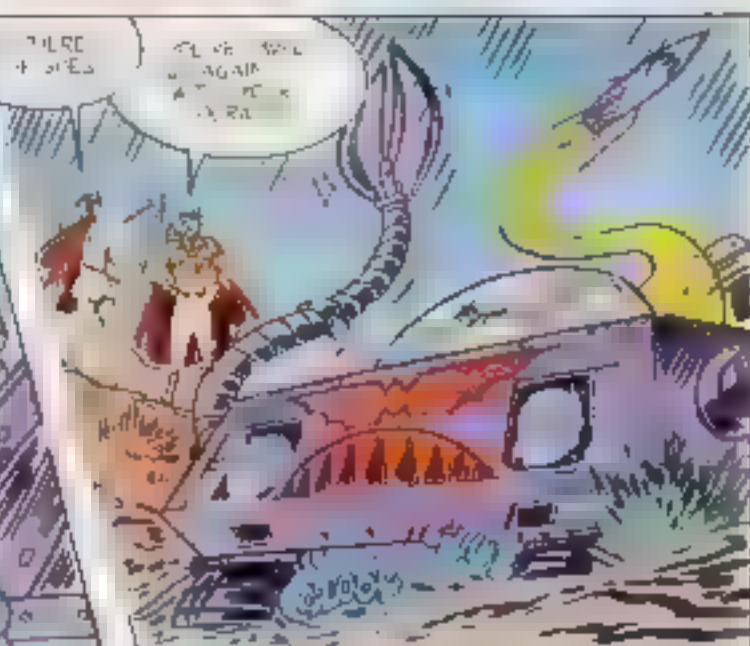
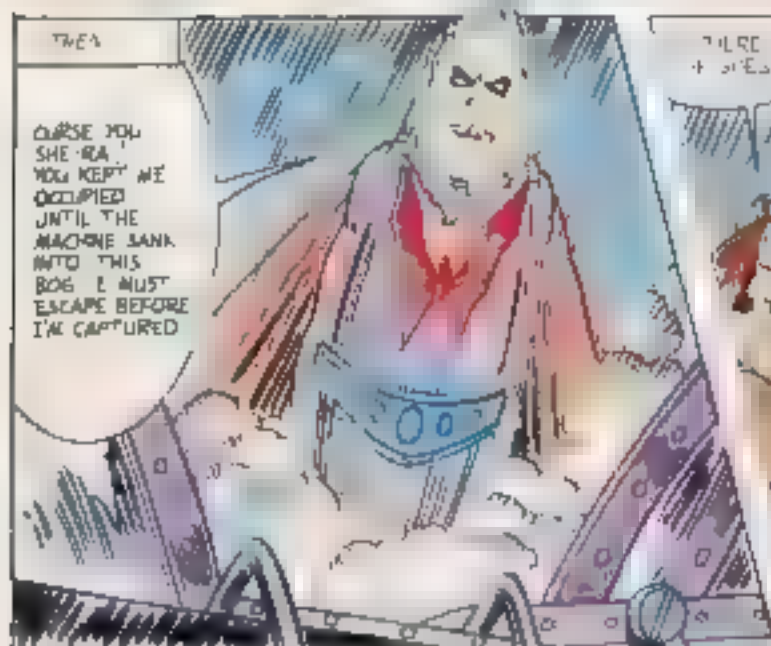
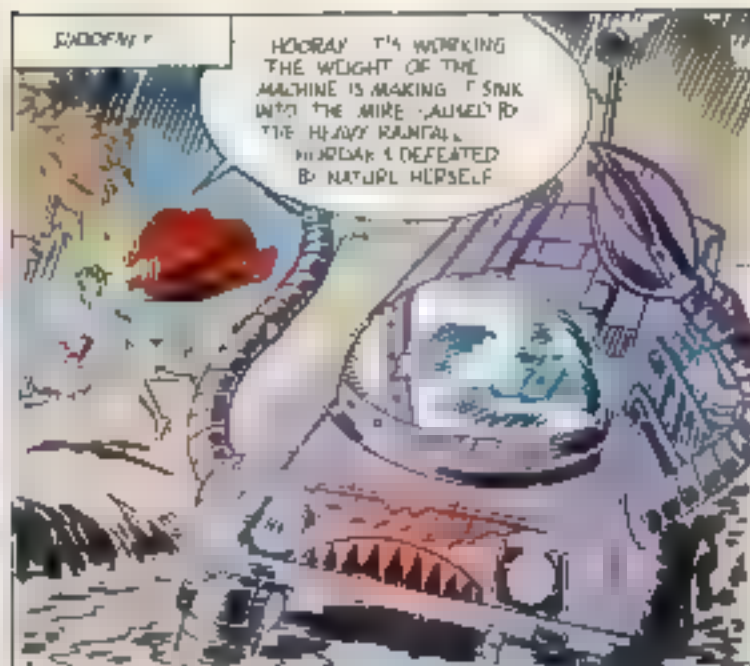
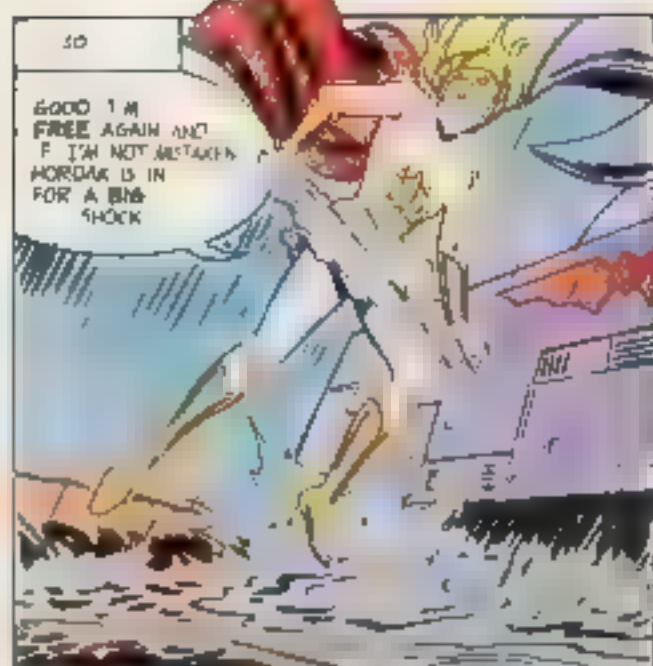
MEANWHILE INSIDE HORDAK'S DEADLY VEHICLE



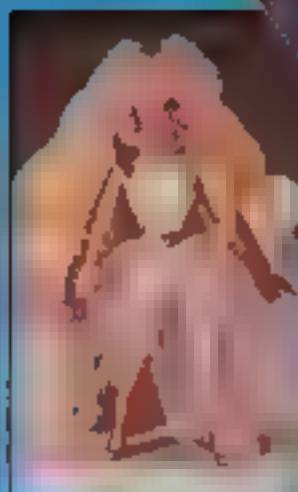
EVEN THOUGH I CAN'T SEE OUT I WILL STILL TRIUMPH. HOW WISE I WAS TO FIT A TELESCREEN INTO THIS DEADLY DEVICE. ONCE AGAIN I AM AMAZED BY MY OWN GENIUS.



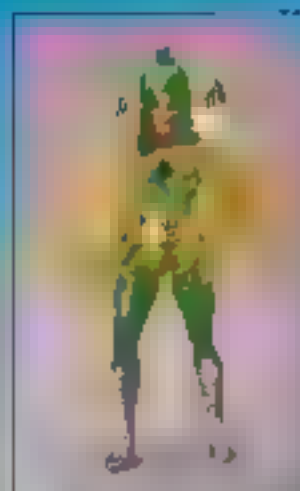
I WILL DROP THE MEGALONG SHE-RA, SO THAT I CAN CONTINUE CREATING A PATH TO THE REBEL BASE. I WON'T DESTROY HER, BECAUSE WHEN THE REBELLION IS RUINED SHE WILL MAKE A USEFUL SLAVE.



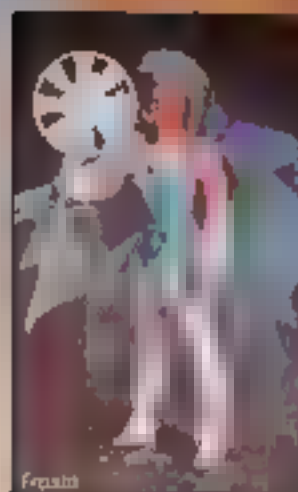
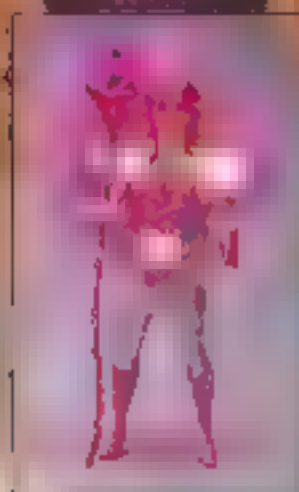
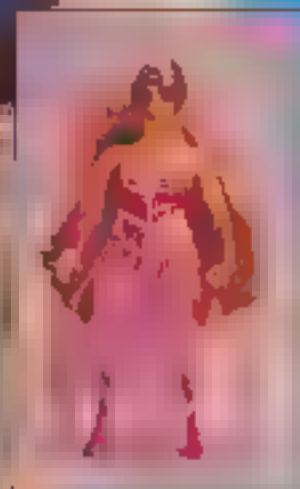
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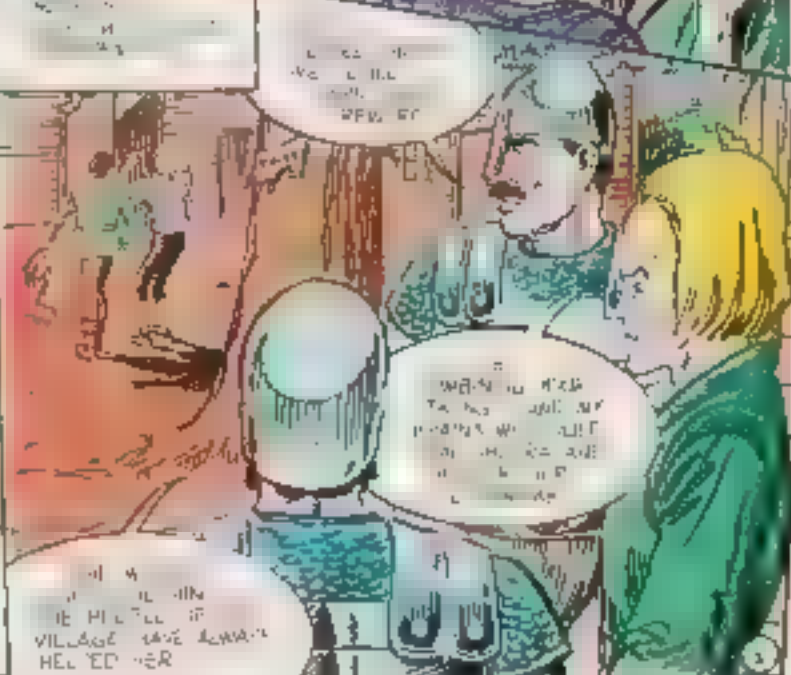
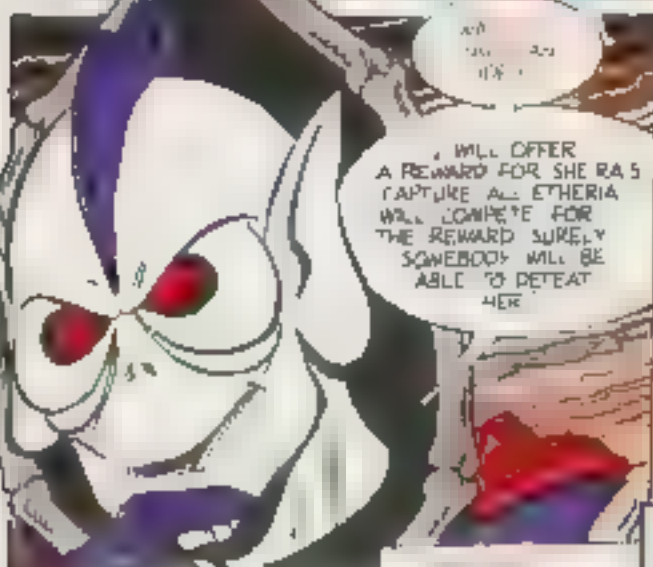
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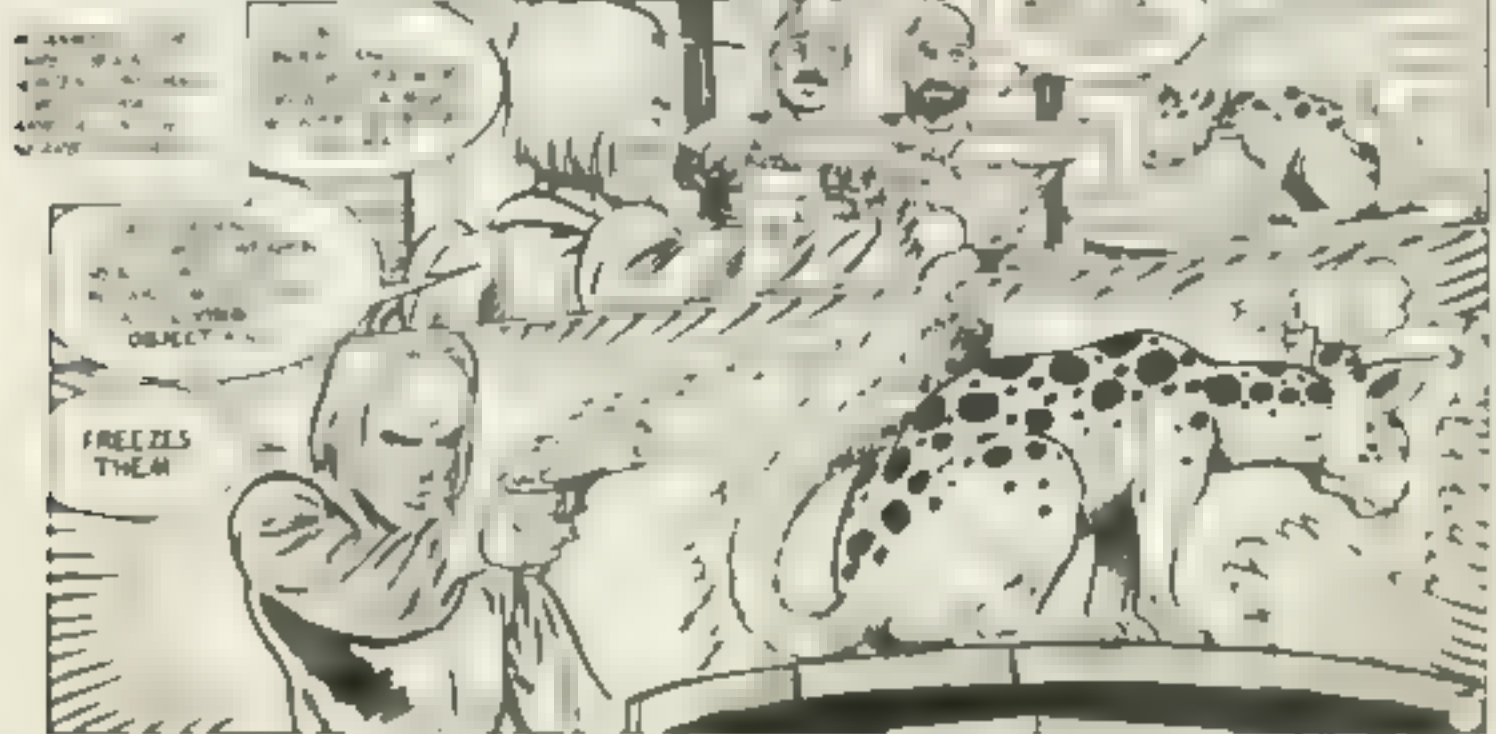
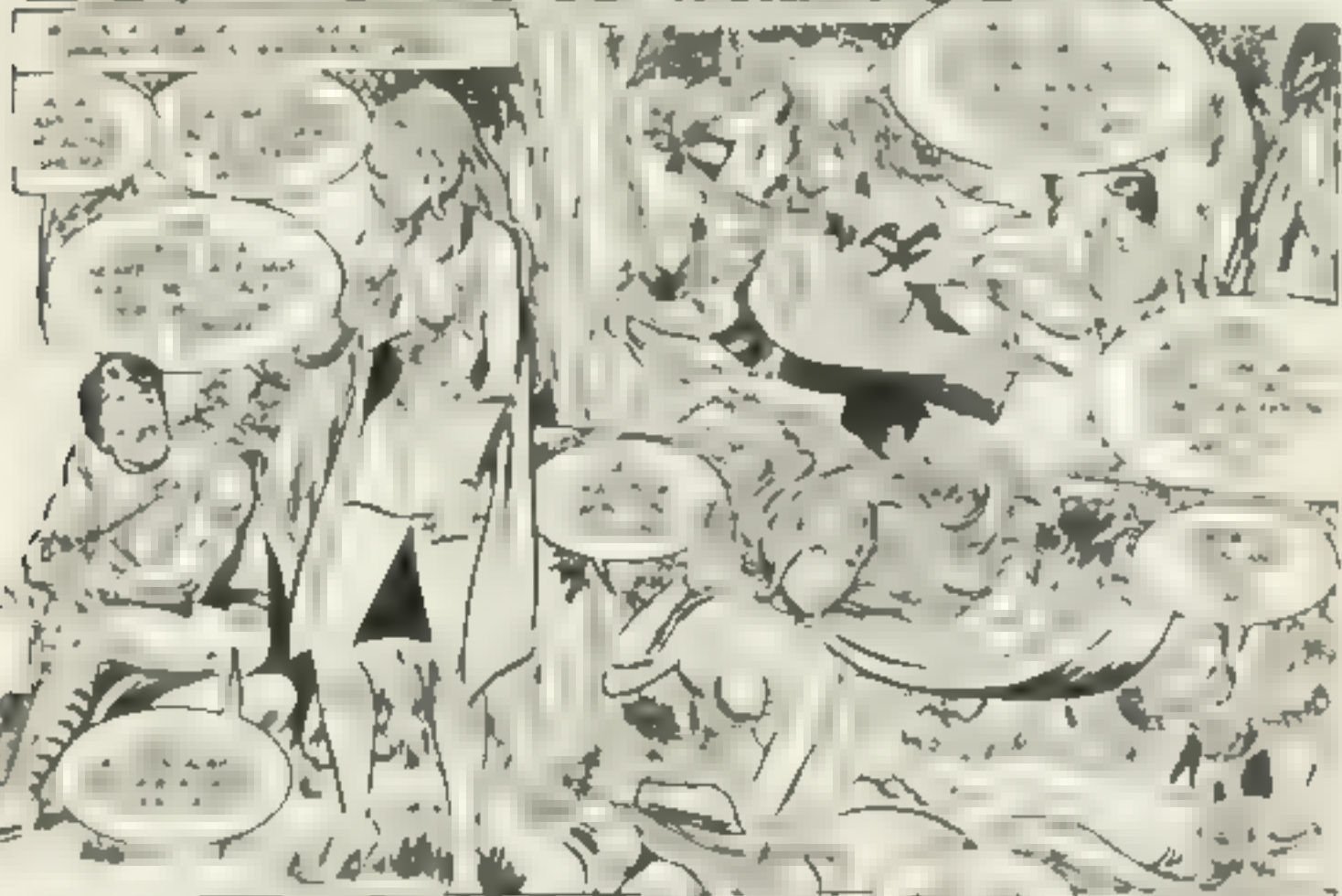


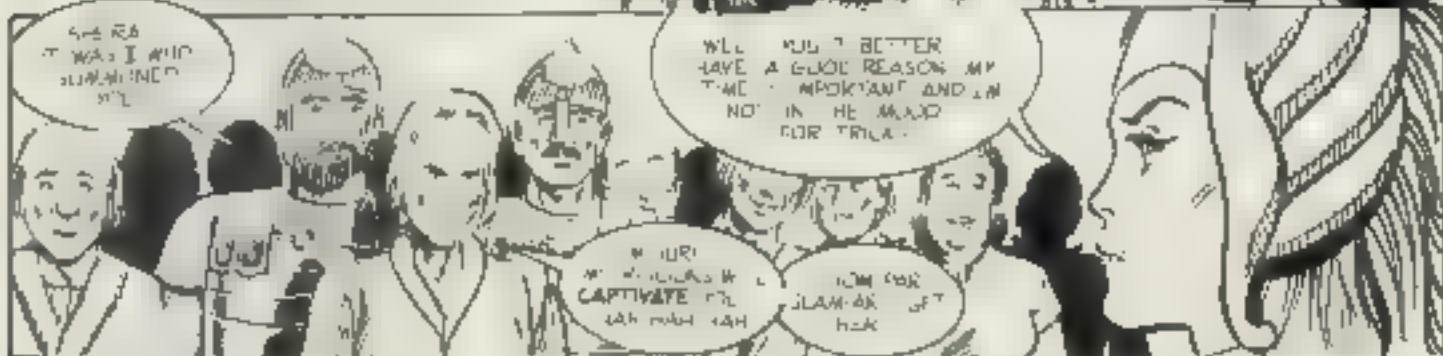
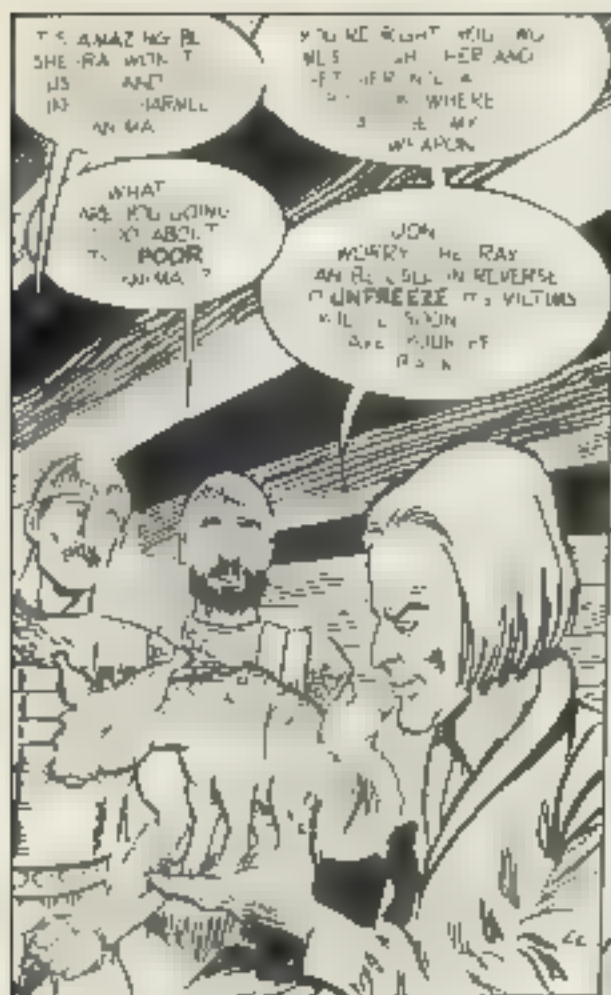
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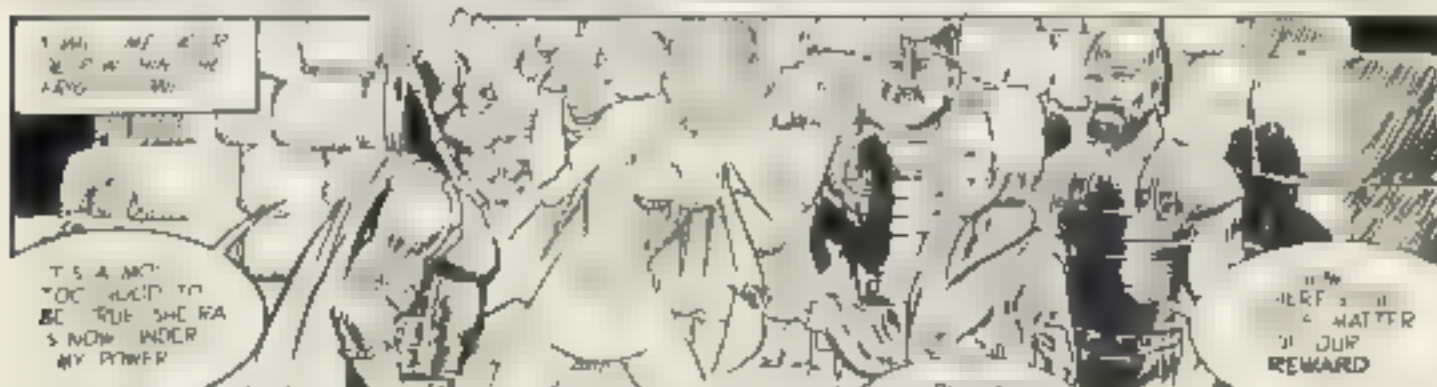
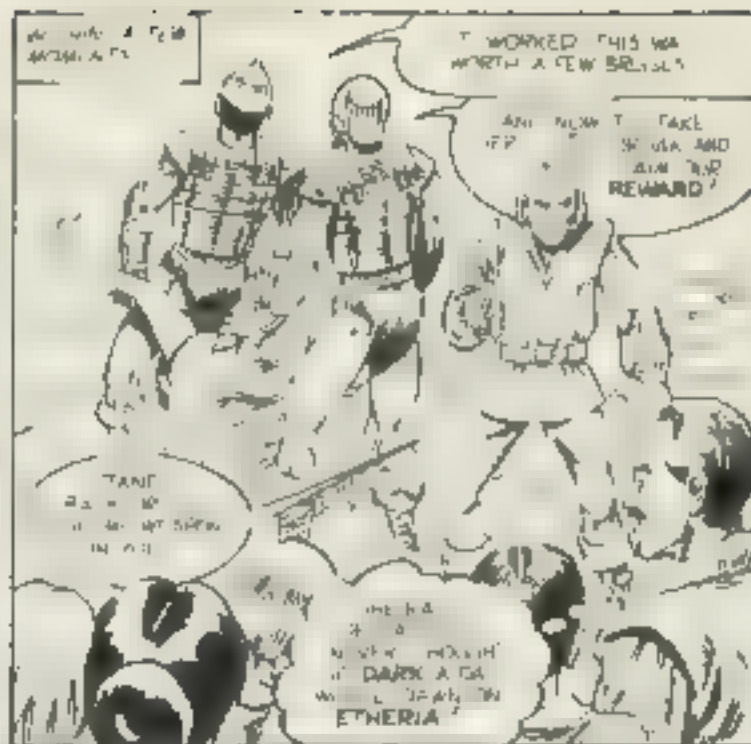
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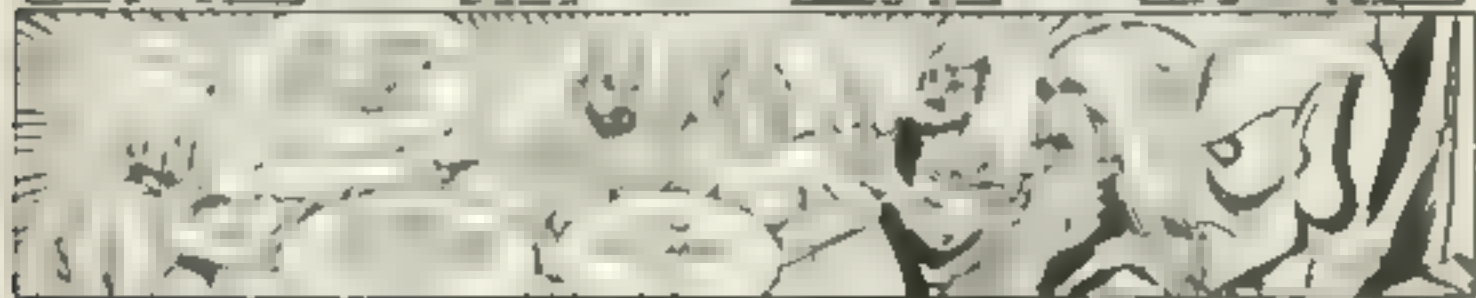
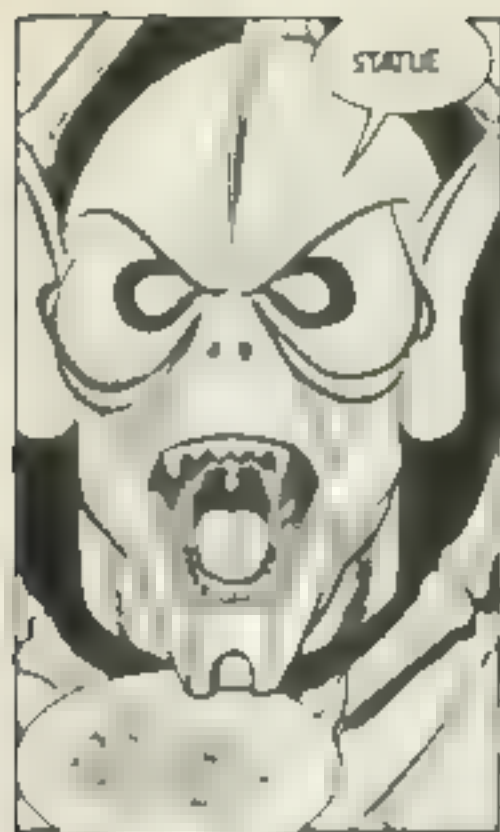
THE BOUNTY HUNTER













SO, YOU STILL HAVE SOME FIGHT IN YOU? WELL WHAT DOES THAT MATTER WHEN I CAN FREEZE YOU AGAIN?

DON'T TALK ABOUT IT... DO IT!

OH NO, NOT THIS TIME YOU DON'T

SWORD TO SHIELD!



THE RAY'S REBOUNDED FROM HER SHIELD! IT'S...

FREEZING YOU!

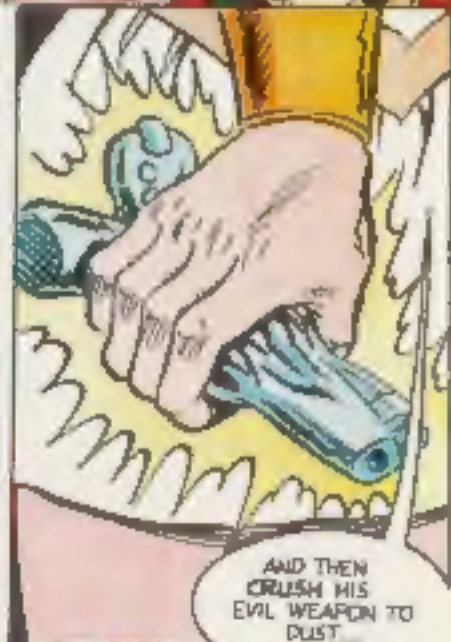
IT WORKED. NOW I MUST MOVE QUICKLY.



AS SHE-RA TAKES THE WEAPON FROM THE FROZEN HORDAK'S GRASP...

NO, NO, DON'T FREEZE ME!

THAT'S NOT MY STYLE, HORDAK. I ONLY WANT TO UNFREEZE THIS VILLAIN...



AND THEN CRUSH HIS EVIL WEAPON TO DUST...



HOW THEN, DO ANY OF YOU FANCY YOUR CHANCES IN A FAIR FIGHT?

THIS IS NOT THE TIME, SHE-RA. I WILL ALLOW YOU TO LEAVE MY FRIGHT ZONE WHILE I DEAL WITH THESE BUNGLES!

JUST LIKE HORDAK. HE ALWAYS BACKS DOWN WHEN THE ODDS AREN'T IN HIS FAVOUR!



LATER, AS SHE-RA MAKES HER WAY BACK TO THE VILLAGE...

THAT WAS A CLOSE CALL. I'LL HAVE TO BE MORE CAREFUL IN FUTURE...

THANK GOODNESS HORDAK COULDN'T BELIEVE HIS OWN EYES.

I NEVER THOUGHT I'D SEE THE DAY WHEN GRIZZLOR WOULD GET ME OUT OF A TIGHT CORNER.



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